

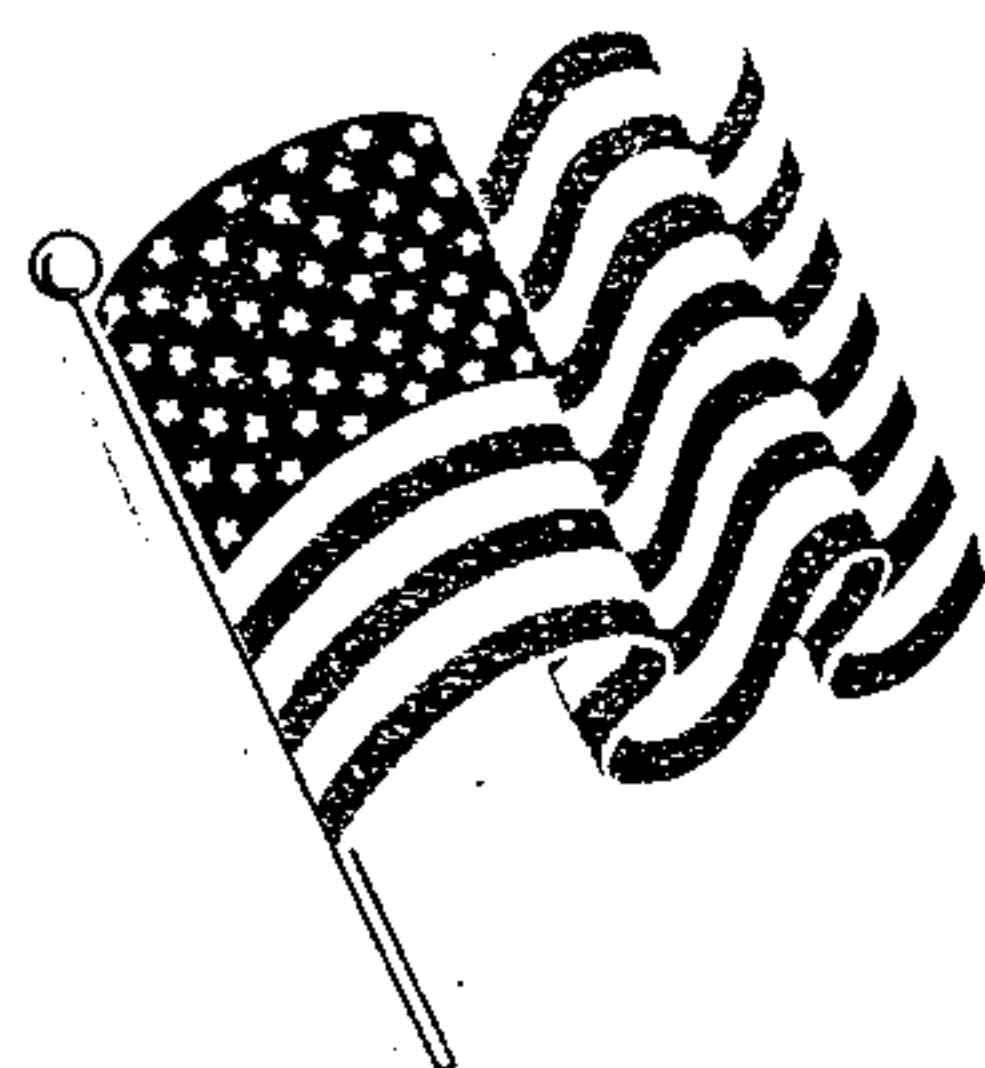
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from the PRESIDENT'S DESK

Convention time is fast approaching again. The 1989 ANA Convention was great for TEC and the one for 1990 in Seattle promises to be even better. Because of the distance, some of our members may not attend, however many of the "Regular Convention Goers" will be there, regardless. I am looking forward to seeing them again and meeting members from other parts of the country for the first time.

Big plans are being made. All have not completely materialized yet, but I am sure that most of them will fall in place. Our Booth has been arranged for and our meetings have been scheduled.

The Board will meet Friday, August 24th at 9:30 a.m. and our Membership Meeting will follow at 11:30 a.m. Topics for the meetings will surely include:

- *Appointment of a new Board Member to fill the vacancy created by a death.

- *Streamlining procedures to assist our Secretary.

- *Discussion on the new programs initiated in 1989 and 1990 (Video Tape Rental, Lending Library, and the sale of 2x2 Elongated Coin Holders.)

- *Proposal to establish a Pre-paid Life Member Program.

- *New business that may be brought up including other projects to better serve our members.

We will again participate with the ANA on the Official Convention Souvenir Elongated Coin Project. The coins will be rolled on site at our Booth. They will be sold separately and in sets similar to those produced in 1989. Members may order from the Secretary now, for delivery after the Convention.

Pennies - 50¢ each plus S.A.S.E.

5-Coin Sets - \$6.00 plus \$1.00 postage and handling.

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NOTICE

ALL ADVERTISERS

Advertising rates will remain the same for the present time, until a further study is made. Only camera ready ads will be accepted until further notice.

Camera ready - Full page ad \$25.00; 1/2 page \$15.00; 1/4 page \$10.00
 Send your ad and check to TEC Editor. Make check payable to T.E.C.

DEADLINE NOTICE

Deadline for articles and ads for Oct., Nov., Dec. issue is Dec. 15, 1990. Send as soon as possible!

from the President's Desk (continued)

We will have a special edition of TEC News for the Convention and also a special Giv-A-Way coin to promote our organization. It will be a miniature copy of our TEC Badge rolled on a penny and will be included with each coin set.

Sales on the 1990 Enameled Silver Convention Badge were a huge success (almost double those for 1989). Orders totaled 48 at the advertised cut-off date of May 1st. This includes one for TEC Archives and one that will be put up for bid in the auction held in conjunction with our Membership Meeting. By the way, we need donations of more auction material.

Orders for the Regular Issue Badges, rolled on 1990 Clad Quarters are still open at \$5.00 each, but you should contact the Secretary fast. They will be limited to, all orders received before Convention time, or 100, whichever figure is greatest.

I had hoped to have pictures for you on all of the coins to be issued by TEC for this convention, but they are still in process. The dies are being made by Bert Samsa and they will be outstanding. You will just have to take my word for it.

Thanks to the generosity of Angelo Rosato and Gus Meccarello, our Lending Library is now functional. Angelo donated three paper back copies of "Yesterday's Elongateds", and Gus donated one. I was able to purchase a hard-bound copy of "Today's Elongateds", and have booklets on the works of Chester Rogers, Lloyd Wagaman and Angelo Rosato. Any or all of the above are available on a loan basis for the cost of postage and handling plus a free-will donation to TEC. (Send your requests to me.) We still need additional copies of the above, plus copies of "The Elongated Collector" by Dottie Dow, and any other literature related to Elongated Coins.

Our Video Tape Rental Program has been very successful. My hopes are that the Lending Library will get more use and be even more successful. Both tapes "The Elongated Collectors" and "Making a Steel Die", are still available to anyone who wants them. The rental price for both is \$10.00 plus the cost of return postage.

Sales of the 2x2 Elongated Coin Holders have gobbled most of our stock and a new order is planned. However, they are still available at the following prices: \$3.50 for 100, \$16.50 for 500 and \$30.00 for 1000.

With all of the other exciting happenings, the biggest news for TEC is the long awaited announcement by Angelo Rosato about his new book. There is no need for me to make further comments on this. (See his article in this issue of TEC.)

Congratulations are due to Lowell L. Lundberg, TEC member #928. In conjunction with the recent Louisiana Numismatic Association Convention, he was honored by Drause Publications with the presentation of the Numismatic Ambassador Award for 1990. This was presented in recognition of his long service and many contributions to the broad hobby of Numismatics, both local and nationally. Lowell, we are very proud of you. It is just too bad that this didn't happen while your wife Beverly was alive. She could have shared the spotlight with you.

Too many important things happening for me to ramble on about what I have been doing. I will just say that I have had no trouble keeping busy. Since my last article I have designed and rolled coins at Conventions in Milwaukee, WI, Battle Creek, MI, Baltimore, MD and a Masonic Convention in Lansing, MI. (continued on next page.)

from the President's Desk (continued)

I rolled three gold coins for a customer in Battle Creek, MI. (I spoiled one of them, but he didn't seem to be concerned.) I have picked up many older elongateds including a couple of "Unlisted" items I have met a lot of our members in my travels. I am promoting TEC, enjoying the hobby to the fullest and even making a little money along the way. These are conditions hard to beat!

Sick report:

It grieves me to report that two of our prominent members passed away.

Joseph A. Clarke, TEC #843

Tom Armstrong, TEC #638

Tom died April 30th, and Joe died March 22nd. Among many honors over the years, both Joe and Tom were recipients of the Krause Numismatic Ambassador Award. In past years Tom also served as Vice President of TEC and was on our Board of Governors at the time of his death. They were personal acquaintances of mine and they will be sorely missed.

Bill Lafond reports that his condition is rapidly getting worse. Bill is a disabled War Veteran and wants to sell his entire collection. His ad should be in the following pages.

Cliff Olsen reports that he is recuperating from major heart surgery.

Gus Meccarello reports that he is much better but is still struggling with the shingles.

Additionally, I have had much pleasant correspondence. Sometimes, more than I can keep up with on a current basis. For this I am sorry.

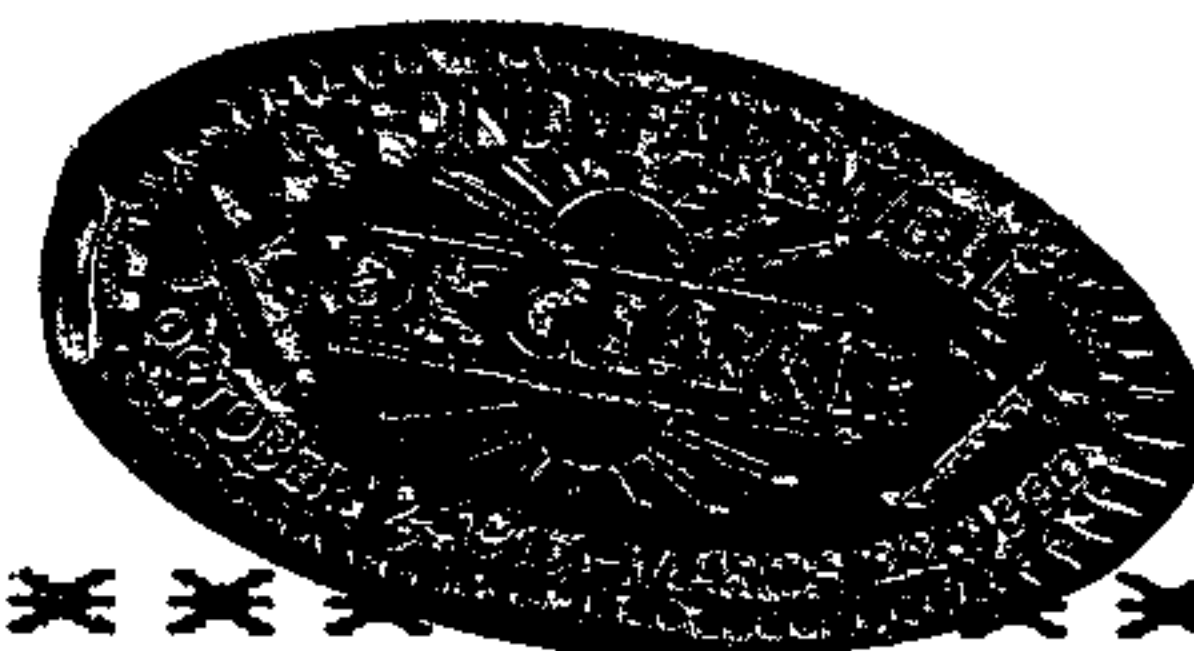
Best wishes to all of our members and special wishes for a speedy recovery to those mentioned above and to other members that may be in poor health.

Sincerely,

Ray Dillard

MEMORIAL TO A FORMER TEC MEMBER

Your free elongated coin included with this issue of TEC News is a commemoration to Joe Clark. It was designed by Ray Dillard at the request of his (Joe's) wife, Mae, and was engraved by Frank Brazzell. The two suns, one above and one below his name symbolically represent the rising and setting sun. The coins were donated by Mae as a fitting memory to Joe.



WANTED - P.A.E. (PAN-AMERICAN-EXPOSITION) ELONGATES OF THE 1901 FAIR HELD IN BUFFALO, NY. Especially PAE 3-5A, 9A, 13, 14A, 15, 17A, 19, 26, 27, 28, 29. Also on other denominations or metal! Write John G. Spadone, 4872 N.W. 171 Ter., Miami, FL 33055-4260.

DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS, DAV, JOHN J. GUSTANSKI, TEC#
1559, 2351 S. Ridgewood, Lot 17, Edgewater, FL 32141, is
 interested in DAV elongates. If anyone has any coins that
 feature DAV would you please write him.

Ginnie Wilkinson

NOTES FROM THE SECRETARY

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We have been counted by CENSUS '90, paid our taxes and now are in the long hot days of summer. It has been a busy spring. New memberships have slowed but as you see from the full page of additions it certainly has not stopped! A few applications came without sponsor endorsements but with TEC membership forms, so thanks to all those who are actively working on signing up new members. The renewed interest we see in our hobby is exciting and we encourage all of you to share it with your friends, clubs and community.

MEMBERSHIP LISTS Requests for copies of the TEC Membership list has been a regular part of the mail since I took office in Aug 89. It is now available to our membership complete with addresses, however there will be a small charge. The list runs 13 pages and will accommodate your keeping it current by adding new names from the newsletter. (Space is available for this) Reproduction, envelope, and postage necessitates a charge of \$3.00 per copy. For all those who desire a copy send your requests to G. Wilkinson, 5700 Flagler St., Metairie, LA 70003. with a \$3.00 check made out to TEC.

HELP! HELP! HELP! Two of our members need your assistance in developing lists of the "Movers and Shakers" of elongates. They need everyones help - specifically:

ROCKY ROCKHOLT, TEC# 1501 of 1614 Beauchamp Drive, San Antonio, TX 78231, wants to put together a list of die makers. Those that are in the business and the people who are just hobbyist and do it for experience and pleasure of perfecting the art.

JIM DUNDON, The Penny Pinchers, TEC #1040, 4211 Catherine St., Panama City Beach, FL 32407, wants to develop a list of current rollers. Information which would help is the type of roller you are. A business roller, pleasure, exhibition (shows, fairs and conventions), flea markets, etc.

This is the information that some of the old timers know and have, but it is not documented for the new members and they find it difficult to locate who and where these people are. Also it would help them locate the people who live near them, thus allowing them to call or visit and get more involved with the hobby.

SIGN OFF

I am looking forward to the Seattle ANA Convention. TEC will again be rolling a Convention Coin which is always a crowd pleaser. We will have a double booth and I look forward to greeting all of the members who are able to attend. If you are unable to attend and would like something brought to the attention of the TEC Board and membership, write! HAVE A GREAT SUMMER! SEE YOU IN SEATTLE!

NOTES FROM YOUR EDITOR:

Well, another TEC Newsletter completed - almost! At the time of this writing, it is one week until deadline (June 15th), and we have put together all the ads and articles we have received to date. The articles and ads are very well written - everyone is to be commended for their contributions to the Newsletter. Good work!

If you would like to submit an article for publication, go for it! If you need help writing or typing it, just send us what you have and we'll help out. Even advertisements. As a TEC member, you are entitled to one free advertisement per publication. If you need help writing your ad, just send us the information and we write it for you, if you wish. We'd like as many TEC members as possible to participate in the Newsletter, and we're willing to help out any way we can. Variety is what makes an interesting newsletter, so keep those articles and ads coming. Just remember, our "drop-dead" deadline is the 15th of the month in which the newsletter is mailed. But we prefer receiving everything as soon as possible after you receive a copy of the newsletter, so we can go to work on the next one. If we receive your article or ad too late for publication, or if we should receive too many for publication, we'll use it in the next issue.

The following is a letter received by our President, Mr. Ray Dillard. Ray feels, (and we agree), that a "Letters to the Editor" section would be a great added feature to our newsletter. This is not to be a complaint section - we'll deal with all complaints and problems elsewhere. But an upbeat, positive addition. (All requests and problems are dealt with, we hope to please as many as possible.) Let us hear from you - your opinion counts!

"Dear Mr. Dillard,

I have just received my issue of TEC News for April, May, June, 1990. I am most impressed with the quality and quantity of information presented. I joined TEC when I visited our booth at the ANA Pittsburgh Convention. I really didn't know much about elongated cent collecting but the people at the booth were so friendly and helpful that my son Karl and I could not resist joining. We are both very pleased that we did. The newsletters, and general enthusiasm of the group are great.

I think the idea of a lending library is excellent and would be something the membership could really take advantage of. Financially things are a little tight for us, but I have (enclosed) a small donation to be used to help purchase books. That's about all for now. Keep up the good work. Take care and be well."

Sincerely,
Jerry Shpargel
TEC #1412

Jerry also ordered 100 2x2 holders. Looks like she and Karl are serious about this hobby. Very thoughtful of her to contribute to the lending library. Let's "keep up the good work" by helping and encouraging our members as much as possible.

'Til next time.....

Jim Singleton, Editor

BUY - SELL - TRADE

GEORGIA TOKENS WANTED: Advanced collector interested in buying older merchant-trade tokens and encased/elongated coins from Georgia. Send description and price with offers - Thanks! R. W. Colbert. 4156 Livsey Road, Tucker, GA 30084-2547.

OVER 2,400 DIFFERENT ELONGATED COINS OFFERED FOR SALE. Please send a 45¢ large SASE for list #6. Thanks! Ed Filipkowski, P.O. Box 12582, Lake Park, FL 33403.

CASH PAID FOR 7,150 TOKENS AND MEDALS IN 1989. Many more needed in 1990. Check my high buying prices. Williges, Box 1245, Wheatland, CA 95692.

NOTICE NOTICE NOTICE NOTICE

A NEW LIST OF ACTIVE ELONGATED COIN ROLLERS IS BEING PREPARED. If you want to be included or know of an active roller, please send the name and address and a brief description to: Jim Dundon, 4211 Catherine St., Panama City Beach, FL 32408.



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Lot No. 176

Allen Curtis TEC 1442

The George P. Hatie Numismatic Library was the main collection auctioned by The Money Tree of Rocky River, Ohio in their 7th Mail Bid Sale on November 6, 1989.

Mr. Hatie was appointed legal counsel for the ANA. He served the ANA for many years in several different capacities including the presidency. He has also earned noteworthy academic and professional honors. Of specific interest to the members of the TEC Club is the following: He served as legal counsel for the TEC Club, was an early club member (TEC 401), and received numerous award elongateds for his contributions to the club.

My first goal after joining the TEC Club last autumn was to become a knowledgeable member by acquiring and studying available elongated coin literature. Towards attaining this goal, I ordered an auction catalog from The Money Tree. When it arrived, I eagerly scanned the 248 lots of George Hatie's collection. My excitement heightened when I reached Lot No. 176 which was described as follows: "THE ELONGATED COLLECTORS. TEC NEWS. 61 issues from Volume 3, No. 3 (August 1968) to Volume XIX (March 1984). 11x8.5 in. Ills. Generally fine and better. Issued as a quarterly beginning in 1972. Long runs of this quality newsletter are distinctly scarce. Dottie Dow was member number 1. We can only find 2 missing issues from this run. Substantially complete."

When the auctioneers informed me that I had been the successful high bidder on Lot No. 176, I was ecstatic. Those 61 issues of the TEC NEWS have given me many, many evenings of enjoyable and educational reading. Moreover, through the pages of those newsletters I came to feel as though I had been a charter member of the club and personally knew the more frequent article contributors. My reading virtually took me to ANA Conventions each year with newly acquired (in spirit) TEC friends.

Did you ever dream of owning a coin formerly from the Garrett or Norweb collections or from some other famous collection? The Garrett and Norweb collections were sold by Bowers and Merena. These prestigious auctioneers also offered another notable collection - George P. Hatie's collection of United States copper and gold coinage and World gold coins. Thanks to Lot No. 176 I was able to make such a dream come true. George Hatie neglected to remove elongated cents from 5 of the 61 issues of the TEC NEWS. Hence, I am now the proud owner of the following elongateds from Hatie's renowned collection:

- 1) Lloyd Wagaman's 1972 Christmas elongated
- 2) Lloyd Wagaman's 1975 Christmas elongated
- 3) Richard Townsend's 1978 Smiles Pay Dividends, Start Collecting elongated
- 4) Ray Dillard's 1983 Flint Flying Eagle Coin Club elongated
- 5) Dottie Dow's 1983 Robert McNamara elongated

Thus, through Lot No. 176 I have obtained invaluable

Lot No 176 (continued)

Knowledge about Tee history, tradition, members, and rollers. Furthermore, it has given me an unexpected thrill - the fulfillment of a numismatic dream.

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More "Unlisteds" for your records. by: "Doug" Fairbanks, Sr.

CAL xxx 7 - Horiz. w/dot border.

Convex around top edge of coin/Souvenir of Hollywood/. Centered across face of coin, a grouping of assorted size buildings. Tall square building at extreme left, has on it, vertically/NBC/. To left of this building stands a four-way street sign, with what appears to be large birds sitting on it. Long straight horiz. line under the group buildings. Under it, horiz. in one line/Victory/, and under it, in one horiz. line/1945/. On no-date cent.

MD xxx 1 - Vert. w/rolled border.

Convex around top edge of coin, in two lines/Fireman/Lucky/. Below word "Lucky", in one horiz. line/Cent/, with small star to left and right of word "Cent". At center of coin, a small horseshoe with ends down, and a ladder and pike-pole in the opening. Concave under the horseshoe, and at bottom edge of coin, in three lines/Hagerstown, MD/ June 12 to 14/1912/. On no-date cent.

SCC m.0 24 - Vert. w/rolled border.

Convex at top edge of coin/Los Angeles/. Centered on face of coin, a large Masonic symbol of the Blue Lodge. Concave at bottom edge of coin/1909/. On no-date I.H.¢.

Misc. xxx 44a - Horiz. w/no border.

Convex at top edge coin/Junior/. At center of coin, a large mono-plane depicted, flying left. Grouping of clouds above and below same. To left of propeller, in one horiz. line/U.S.A./. At tip of wing at right, a raised circular impression, apparently for a hole location. Concave at bottom edge of coin/Birdmen/. On no-date cent.

Note: Purported to have been a radio-program "give-away" during the early 1930's. Over-all appearance of coin is very similar to Misc. xxx 44.

Also, not "Unlisted", but a very nice "find" a ILL-CPIE 112 on a small aluminum planchet.

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ATTENTION MEMBERS: Does anyone have a clear address for one "Mr. Robert Henderhostt"? Missouri, I believe. Will remit your postage and include a gift. Thank you! "Doug" Fairbanks, Sr., 5937 Beadle Drive, Jamesville, NY 13078.

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A JTE Reprise
By Allen Curtis

The following words concluded my article on the Jamestown Tercentennial Exposition (JTE) in the previous issue of the TEC NEWS: "Researching and writing this article has stimulated my interest in VIR-JTE elongateds. I just wish I had some".

I got my wish: My JTE article was inspired by an article written 10 years ago by Ginnie Aldridge. After reading my follow-up of her early research, she thoughtfully informed me that she loved it and offered to sell me two of her duplicates, VIR-JTE 4 and 5. Ginnie also told me that Doug Fairbanks might have a VIR-JTE 2 available. He not only had that elongated but also had VIR-JTE 1 and 3. Now I'm the proud owner of five of the nine VIR-JTE elongateds.

It is ironic that my VIR-JTE collection should be just beginning when my interest in them goes back to the summer of 1968. At that time a friend from the midwest commissioned me to locate and purchase for him as many JTE souvenirs as possible.

Maurice Gould, a well known coin dealer and early TEC Club member, wrote a weekly column, "Coin Roundup", which appeared in our local newspaper. In an August, 1968 column he mentioned that elongated coins were sold at all the famous fairs and expositions in this country. Mr. Gould also said that further information about elongated could be obtained from the TEC Club at an Arizona address which he gave.

In response to my inquiry of September 3, 1968 I received the following letter from Dottie Dow, founder and first president of the TEC Club:

"Yes, there were elongateds from the Jamestown Exposition. I know of 8 different. You can borrow my book The Elongated Collector from the ANA Library. This is a photo of one of them on my stationery - POCAHONTAS. I only have a couple extra of the Jamestown elongateds. I'm saving them to trade for other elongateds I need. I save ALL elongateds. So if you come across any older ones, let me know and we might be able to trade."

Unfortunately, at that time I had never even seen an elongated; so, no trade ever ensued. However my search for JTE memorabilia continued; I located or learned of the following: Tomahawks with "Jamestown Exposition 1607-1907 Hampton Roads, Va" inscribed on them; clay pipes in the shape of the Jamestown historic church tower; hand mirrors with exposition buildings painted on their backs; handkerchiefs decorated with exposition scenes; tote bags advertising JTE and the Borden Milk Co.; sheet music - "The March of the Powhatan Guards" (official march of the JTE) and "Meet Me On The Warpath At The Jamestown Fair" (the midway was called the Warpath); enameled commemorative plates; guide books "Guide to Historic Virginia and the Jamestown Tercentennial"; official daily programs for the events of the final week; commemorative postage stamps: 1 cent - John Smith, 2 cents - settlers landing on Virginia soil, 5 cents - Pocahontas; numerous different post cards; lucky pennies; official medals struck in silver, silver-plated bronze, bronze, and gilt; and a silver commemorative medal of the Battleship Virginia.

Thus, I was able to add substantially to my friend's collection. Now, I regret not having started a similar collection at that time.

- WHO - WHERE - WHAT -

AS A NEW MEMBER TO TEC, THESE ARE SEVERAL OF THE QUESTIONS THAT I HAVE AS I LOOK AT SOME OF THE ELONGATES IN MY POSSESSION. WHO WERE THE ROLLERS AND THE DIE MAKERS? WHERE DO THEY LIVE NOW? WHAT ARE THEY ROLLING TODAY? ANOTHER QUESTION IS "WHO ARE THE ACTIVE ROLLERS AND DIE MAKERS TODAY?" I WOULD LIKE TO HEAR FROM EACH OF YOU BECAUSE I WOULD LIKE TO BECOME AN ACTIVE MEMBER IN TEC. TO ME THIS MEANS DESIGNING AN ELONGATGE, WORKING WITH THE DIE MAKER THAT CAN PRODUCE THE DESIRED RESULTS AND THEN ROLLING THE COIN TO MY SATISFACTION. IT ALSO MEANS BEING ACTIVE IN THE ORGANIZATION AND THIS I WILL ALSO DO.

OH YES, I HAVE ANOTHER QUESTION.

"WHO HAS A GOOD USED MACHINE FOR SALE?"

LIKE MANY COLLECTORS, I OBTAINED MY FIRST ELONGATES FROM DEALERS JUNK BOXES OVER A PERIOD OF YEARS. SOME NEW ONES AND SOME OLD ONES. SOME PRODUCED BY BEAUTIFULLY ENGRAVED DIES AND SOME WITH LINE ART TYPE DIES. I RECENTLY WAS OFFERED THE OPPORTUNITY TO PURCHASE GEORGE KESTERSON'S COLLECTION OF ELONGATES AND THE EXCESS OF HIS EFFORTS OF ROLLING. WHETHER IT WAS HIS COMPLETE COLLECTION OR NOT I CANNOT TELL. BUT I DID PURCHASE THE COLLECTION AND THERE ARE SOME BEAUTIFUL EXAMPLES OF GREAT WORK CONTAINED IN THE COLLECTION. IT IS TOO BAD, BUT SOMEONE ELSE PURCHASED HIS MACHINE. ANYONE KNOW WHERE IT IS?

THE BEAUTY OF SOME OF THESE PIECES MAKES ME WANT TO GET STARTED PRODUCING SOME COINS OF MY OWN. I AM SOON TO BE RETIRED FROM 3M COMPANY AFTER A VERY REWARDING CAREER IN A VARIETY OF ROLES INVOLVING SALES AND MARKETING MANAGEMENT. I WOULD LIKE TO TRY SOME OF MY MARKETING SKILLS WITH ELONGATES.

IF ANY OF YOU "OLD TIMERS" OUT THERE WOULD LIKE TO HELP ME GET STARTED IN WHAT I THINK WILL BE A FUN TIME OF MY LIFE, I WOULD APPRECIATE HEARING FROM YOU. IF YOU HAVE DUPLICATE CATALOGUES OF SOME OTHER ROLLER'S WORK I WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING A COPY. IF YOU HAVE ANY DUPLICATES OF SOME OF THE EARLY WORLDS FAIR ELONGATES THAT I MIGHT PURCHASE AT A REASONABLE PRICE LET ME KNOW. IF YOU HAVE ANY OF THOSE BEAUTIFULLY PRODUCED 3 D TYPE ELONGATES SEND ME ONE WITH YOUR BILL AND I WILL SEND MY CHECK.

AS A NEW MEMBER - HELP ME GET ACTIVE!

THANKS!

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Don A. Wilkinson
TEC Treasurer
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AN ELONGATED WEDDING AFFAIR

Our niece Diana Nelson, oldest daughter of my only sister Virginia, and her husband Harold, married Tom Whittle on November 4, 1989. (Both Diana and sister Virginia are members of The Elongated Collectors). The wedding was held at the San Marcos Resort Inn, Chandler, Arizona (near Phoenix) and was beautifully done in the luxury of this famous old hotel. In honor of and to commemorate the occasion, I designed a Wedding Day elongated coin which was engraved by Frank Brazzell.

The wedding also served as a joint family reunion, as all my sister's and our children attended, save one, DawnAnn (New Visions), who was busy preparing for the arrival of her second child - which did arrive November 6!

We celebrated, played tourist and ate from Thursday Nov 2 thru Nov 6! It was a grand time, a family and friends oriented get-together. The Rehearsal Dinner was held on Friday night, Nov 3 and everyone of the Wedding Party, plus the principal families including grandchildren, all went to the "ROCKIN' R RANCH" in Mesa, Arizona. It was a night of Western town environment, a great show and chuckwagon style supper. The "ROCKIN' R" itself is a family run affair with all the family members either selling and taking tickets, clerking the stores, putting on the great street and stage shows including serving an excellent meal! Everyone enjoyed a super evening, just as promised in the beautifully illustrated ROCKIN' R RANCH brochure.

I have ROCKIN' R RANCH elongates in my collection, so I set out to locate the machine and have a few rolled on the spot! Well I never found the machine or any elongated coins for sale! "Sweet Mary" (one of the shakers and movers at ROCKIN' R) wasn't very helpful, but I did learn the band drummer was in charge of the elongated action and hadn't brought out the rolling machine for the season yet. I wasn't able to get to him as he was very busy, so that part of the evening was a bust for me.

Sunday Nov 5, was more western entertainment as we toured "RAWHIDE" another tourist western town with street players. Sunday evening was highlighted by the supper meal at the Pinnacle Peak Patio, another outstanding setting to eat frontier style and enjoy the fabulous mountain and valley scenery and a spectacular sunset.

Since the wedding, I've obtained twenty sets of all three ROCKIN' R RANCH elongated coins. If you'd like the Diana and Tom Wedding Day coin, and all three ROCKIN' R elongateds including the ROCKIN' R brochure, send two dollars and a 45 cent stamp and I'll provide the legal size envelope.



THE PENNY PINCHER RAMBLES ON

JIM DUNDON #1040

Well, here I go again. Finally stopped long enough to get off a note for the newsletter. It has been a busy year for me. Did my winter fairs in Florida, where else?, sent a machine off to Ohio, and just finished an order for 120 dies. Why, I even managed to get off a few letters to fellow club members, now THAT is amazing.

I want to thank Doug Fairbanks, Ginnie Aldridge, Ginnie Wilkinson, And Jim Singleton for their help and information. Also a big Thank You to John Spadone for his help. I had the good fortune to meet him while in Miami this winter. He was very helpful with information on some of the old rollers and die-makers.

If you remember back to my last letter, I said that I would help get together a list of current rollers and die-makers, so that it can be published in TEC. The good folks mentioned above have been the only ones to respond, so far.

According to our editor, we have over 450 current members. Now I know that a lot of you have your own machines, that makes you a roller! Some of you are making dies, either for yourself or others, and that makes you a die maker. How about spending a quarter on a stamp and drop me a line about what you are currently doing?

I think it would be good for the club to have some idea of who is doing what out there. It is hard to collect if you don't know what is produced or who produced it. So how about a little co-operation? Then again I could be wrong about all this and perhaps no one really cares about these matters. If I don't get much of a response, then I'll know that I should just forget it and I won't waste your time with any more requests for help. You decide for yourself whether or not you would like this information.

Address any correspondence to: The Penny Pinchers
Jim Dundon 4211 Catherine St. Panama City Beach, Fl. 32408

•PLEASE HELP!!!! In November, I will be in need of several early Florida elongateds (circa 1900-1935). In particular, I am looking for Tampa area coins but any Early Florida would be a help. I would like to buy, trade or even RENT any of these coins for a three week period. I would be willing to put up a security deposit and cover insured postage both ways. Please let me know if you even have any of these coins. Thank You. Jim Dundon 4211 Catherine St. Panama City Beach, Fl. 32408

Encyclopedia of the Modern Elongated

by
Angelo A. Rosato

AT LAST!

YES, at long last the "ENCYCLOPEDIA OF THE MODERN ELONGATED" is concluded in its camera ready format! In effect, the entire tome is ready for delivery to the printer. The work and ordeal of 22 years has been fulfilled. However, before the book can be realized, it must be printed!

Nevertheless, before going into the specifics and other details in this report, as the author of the forthcoming book I would like to digress and be episodic for the benefit of members who have recently joined TEC and for others who may have been with us but for only a few years.

It all began in 1968, while Dottie Dow had reluctantly given up any hope of revising her book, "THE ELONGATED COLLECTOR" (1965). She earnestly had accumulated and compiled years of new data for a revision. But for other priorities, she was unable to generate a new edition. Actually, it was not until 1981, and work with Lee Martin, the updated version "YESTERDAY'S ELONGATEDS" was released. - Thus, it was in mid 1968, two years following my charter membership in TEC (#23), I sought the assistance of a few roller-producers of elongated coins for information in reference to their productions for a new book. However, in order not to conflict with Dottie Dow with a possible release of her own book on older elongateds, a decision was made to record only modern specimens. It was a frustrating period! New producers came into view and I was determined to get the most accurate information and data while

in an interval of up-to-the-minute productions. The work load had grown beyond imagination!.

Beginning with only a few, the work finally encompassed 49 roller-producers. To compile and sort the data took months and then years. It was not until seven years later that a first draft for a manuscript had begun. Endless revamping followed. To prepare the work for a book format I chose to do all the work, which entailed photography, artwork, illustrations, typesetting, and hundreds of other mechanical details necessary.

Having attended the 1973 convention and gathering in Boston, a report was made of the progress and there was no assurance at the time when the work would be finished. A possible completion was projected for 1976, the year of our Bi-Centennial. With this, Lee Martin (respectful of my endeavors) meanwhile put together and released his work "TODAYS ELONGATEDS." It was a work of great intentions and effort, but unfortunately Martin did not get the support from the elongated producers and his book fell far too short for a proper attribution for the modern elongateds.

In 1982, again at the Boston meet, a proof galley prototype of my work was presented to the TEC members for viewing. In hard cover, the book was primarily the catalog section of over 1,000 pages listing and illustrating more than 4,000 elongateds. A projected release was then set for 1986, the Centennial year of the Statue Of Liberty. With my retirement from a jewelry business of 35 years due in 1985, there was a good chance the book would be finished. Life, however, has had its priorities and other unforeseen circumstances; thus several setbacks, although the work continued. When the endeavor resumed on a fuller schedule the work seemed endless! Weeks followed into months, and months into years!

As annotated in a previous article in TEC News several months ago, it stated that progress reports were seldom made because there was no real way to project a completion. The work has been tremendous, as the new release will attest. But in this report, there is some good news!

In a brief generalization, the "ENCYCLOPEDIA OF THE MODERN ELONGATED" will contain 12 pages for the Table of Contents of 614 entries and a total of exactly 1,760 pages. There will be 1,024 pages describing and illustrating 4,005 modern elongateds to include restrikes (Re-Rolls) and hundreds of previously UNLISTED specimens. Now considered modern "classics" the elongateds span the years 1960 thru 1976 and a few beyond; encompassing 49 producers of the past. There are 17 chapters in the text covering 401 pages, with 122 major titles and 492 subtitles; and 446 illustrations, drawings and photos to name a few. A full index of 1,433 entries and 4,005 title entries. It includes 5 full appendices, 208 glossary nomenclatures and a bibliography of 51 references: Appendix (A) has 1,592 footnotes of important data encompassing 151 pages. Appendix (B) listing 127 impressionable articles. Appendix (C) denotes 20 pages of historical facts featuring the Columbian Exposition Electricity Building, the McKinley Monument, National Recovery Act (NRA), the Trade Dollar, 1893 Columbian stamps, a chronology of the 1893 Columbian Exposition, and a surprising historical account on Charles F. Damm; the forefather

of the bygone elongateds. Appendix (D) has a 13 column format describing in full detail with information spanning 406 PNC Covers with elongated inserts. And finally Appendix (E) covers the laws on Forgeries and Counterfeits.

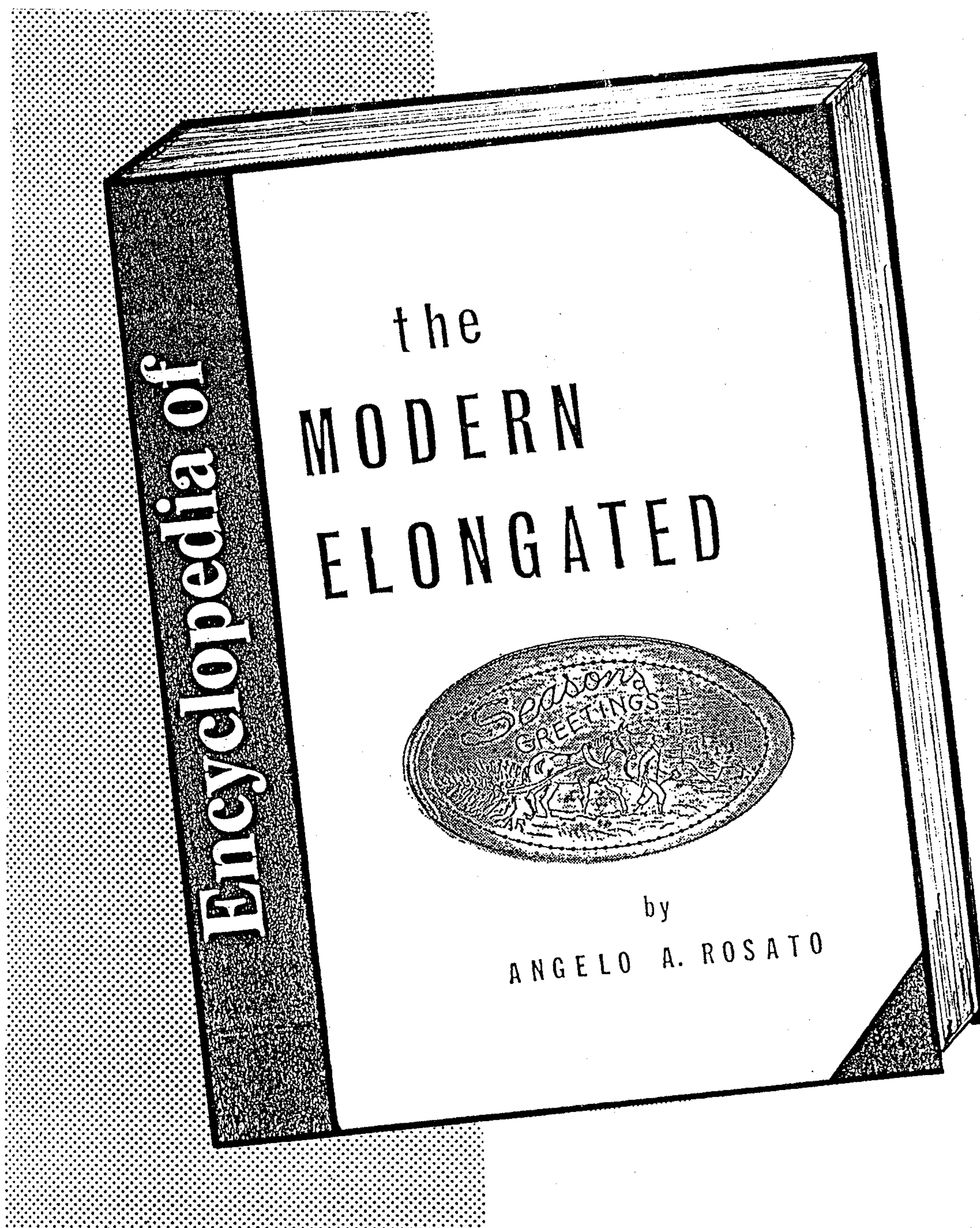
The "encyclopedia" has hundreds of facts and data never revealed before! It will include several new discoveries annotated through the efforts of research appearing for the first time ever: all in associated with the elongated coin! Chapter 13 (the largest) is extensively concentrated on elongateds and the law, and the use of United States and foreign coinage for elongation. Also, a preponderance of other items concerning elongateds and the law. And fittingly, the last chapter converges fully in every aspect of the LORD'S PRAYER on elongateds.

At this writing, matters are in the negotiating stages between three book printers and binders. Pending, is the matter of printing price, quality and printing time. There is also the business of waiting for the Library of Congress and ISBN numbers.

In sincerity, I want to assure all prospective subscribers for the encyclopedia that everything possible is being done for quality and price. At first there was the situation of the work being published in two volumes over that of a single edition due to the size and bulk of the book; as well as types of covers (soft or hard bound). To bind two volumes in soft cover would not assure perfection due to the amount of pages. Frequent usage would loosen the pages which would eventually fall out; unless the signatures were sewn: usually soft cover bindings are not! Most soft cover books are considerably cheaper. However, to sew the two volumes for soft cover would be imprudent since the cost would be equal to that of a single volume in hard cover. Consequently, in view of the unusual size (8½ X 11) in pages, costs, and the higher degree of perfection, the plan is to print the book in hard cover. There is no savings in soft cover volumes, plus 1,760 pages cannot be bound in a single soft cover edition! In consideration, a single printing of nearly 1800 pages is equal to six books of 300 pages each, which generally sell for \$29 to \$49 in hard cover. I am happy to report (at least for now) the book will be much less than \$100 in an introductory offer. -- Recently, a reprint in reference to "pennies" of 400 pages in hard cover was offered at \$50. Another with only 63 pages at \$30. These are no where near the size or informative as the "encyclopedia." Obviously, there is the consideration of packing, supplies and shipping costs. The book will weigh over 5 pounds. - Incidentally, the prepared manuscript for the printer weighs exactly 56 pounds!!

The plan at the moment is for a formal announcement of the books' release. There will be a printed brochure mailed to all TEC members as soon as all details are known concerning final price and delivery date of the books. The brochure will be even more enlightening, which will include an order form and a "special" pre-publication offer at approximately 30% off the list price. There will also be "serially numbered" editions for TEC's Charter members. DO NOT reserve your copy now. Please wait for your announcement brochure. Anyone not on the TEC News mailing list, please send name and address and 45¢ in stamps: the announcement and order form will follow.

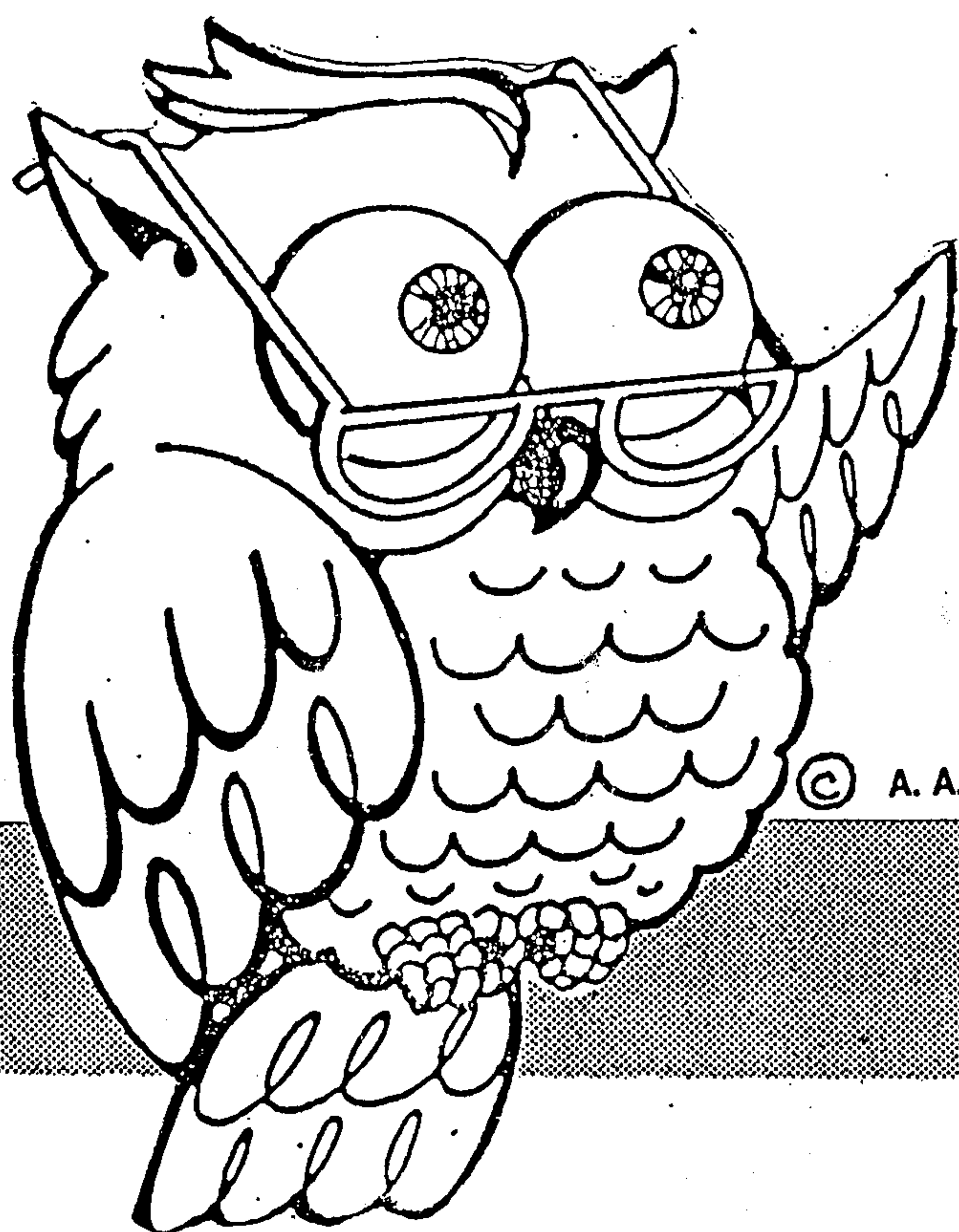
As a final note, the edition will be very limited. Because of high costs the printing will be a short-run printing. An estimate of less than 500 copies is planned. There also may be a limit in order quantities. There absolutely will not be a second edition printing. If dealers are interested, they should write for wholesale pricing before going to print. When the announcement brochures arrive, please do not hesitate to order immediately so as not to regret it later. The "ENCYCLOPEDIA OF THE MODERN ELONGATED" is a "classic" informative guide and reference. It explores every facet of the elongated coin; to include many surprises. Remember, it took 22 years in the making with an astounding 1,760 pages. - NOTE: a sample page of the catalog section is enclosed with this report.



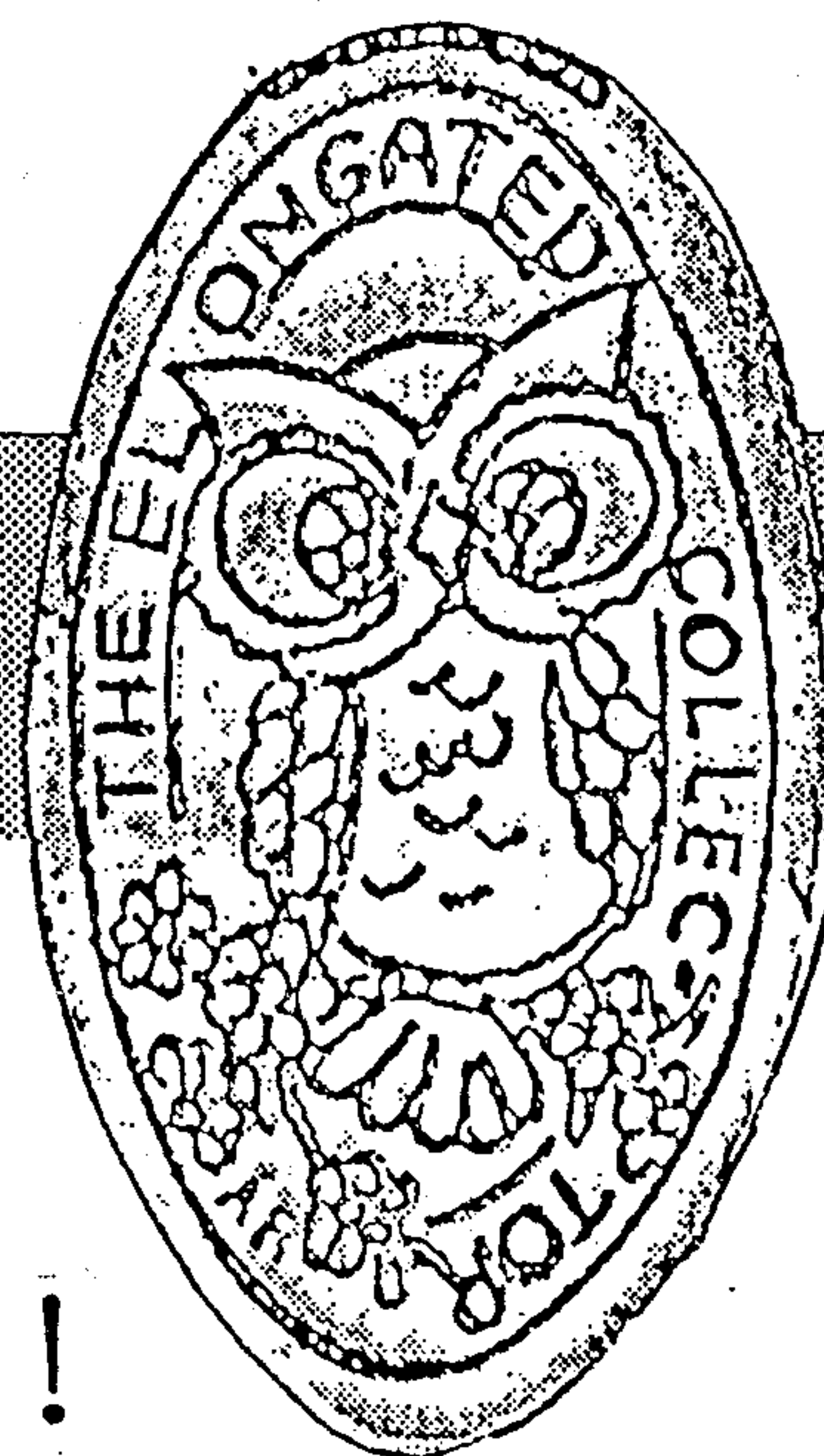
a new book covering two decades in elongated coins !

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GET A FRIEND TO JOIN TEC!

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ATTN. NEW MEMBERS: Send \$1.00 to cover post and handling and receive a 1974 booklet listing all of my elongated issues made beginning in 1968. Over 20 years old, these specimens are now considered "Modern Classics." - All are rolled from "hand-engraved dies" and all issues were LIMITED; some now scarce. All dies have been "Closed" and none of the issues can ever be re-rolled. - Many issues are sold out! Booklets were printed in 1974 and only a few remain available. Dont miss out as booklet is now a collectors item in itsself!-- Send for your booklet and receive 2 FREE elongateds. Send dollar to A. A. ROSATO 70 GROVE ST., NEW MILFORD, CONN. 06776.

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Making A New Friend

by

Jim D. Andrews, TEC #1122

The sun shone on the garden benches at the Baltimore Festival Hall Saturday to spotlight the 18th Annual Convention and Coin Show of the Maryland State Numismatic Association, Inc. At 10 a.m. when the sidewalk was beginning to heat up and everyone knew it was going to be a "fine day", the doors opened and the crowd poured into the great Hall. Most of the serious buyers who usually attend and including the general public who I spoke with, felt the show was well organized and the exhibitors experienced, prepared and did an excellent job of creating an atmosphere of pleasant hospitality.

I went with a special purpose in mind, to meet another TEC member and perhaps gain a new friend. (It's what our hobby is all about right?) As a new comer to rolling coins, (I purchased my rolling machine from Frank Brazzell - Past TEC President.) and wanting to learn more, it was on this weekend I met our TEC club President Ray Dillard, who had his own booth setup and was "teaching" and "rolling".

At first glance Ray's booth with his rolling machine in full display looks like the movie set for Willie Wonka's Chocolate Factory! Ray was giving demonstrations, "rolling", turning the big crank around, the machine giving this mechanical motion of gears going around, "Amazing" said a by stander, "Look at that" said another, "it's fascinating"! Yes, we all know the magic of watching for that new Elongated coin to pop out! So THANK YOU our President for responding to my plea for help, for sharing your knowledge with me and the other folks. I am so fortunate and we have each gained a new friend.

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Still more "Unlisteds" turn up.....by "Doug" Fairbanks, Sr. #623

ILL peo/

Odd shape (25¢ size) copper piece. w/no border. (Neither vert. or horiz. but not a "true" round.)

(Shape similar to IND ind 3)

Convex around top of issue/Bradley/Depicted at center of issue, a hourglass. To left of same, horiz. in one line/19/. To right of same in one horiz. line/06/. Concave under the above/Horological/. (The Science of Measuring Time.) Rev.-Plain.

Misc.xxx51

Odd Shape (50c size) copper piece. W/no border. (Neither vert. or horiz. but not a "true" round.)

Shape similar to IND ind 3)

Almost completely filling coin face, a uniformed male figure astride a prancing horse, facing right, and standing on a raised mound of earth. Horiz. in base of mound/1896/. No other legend. Rolled on a large U.S. 1¢ piece, date not legible.

N.Y. - n.v 1

Vert. w/rolled border.

Convex up left side, over and around top, and down right side/225 Anniversary of the Founding of New Rochelle, N.Y./At center of coin a horseshoe w/ends down. Four nail heads in left tang and three nail heads in right tang. Horiz. in center of horseshoe, in two lines/1688,1913/ Below horseshoe ends, in two horiz. lines/Lucky Cent/Small five pointed star at extreme bottom of coin. Rolled on a 1892 Liberty 5¢.



Ed Filipkowski

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ATTENTION!

I have just purchased the majority (over 25,000) of the "modern" elongated cents from the stock of "Doug" Fairbanks, Sr. of Jamesville, NY.

Most of them are listed on Pages 2 through 202 in his latest catalog. Please inquire.

I'm working on a new Fall/Winter Catalog. More information in next issue of TEC.

Here's some "Get Acquainted Specials":

NY World's Fair/1964-65: The Unisphere, Monorail, Vatican Pavilion & Pieta. Listed in Yesterday's Elongateds. All 4 for \$5.00. Postpaid

John F. Kennedy Assassinated/1963/R.J. (P&PC19), Same (P&PC19a), Same (P&PC19b) Unlisted, Same (P&PC19c) Unlisted. All 4 for \$5.00. Postpaid. ---Or 1-JFK and 3 other Presidents, all listed in Yesterday's Elongateds.

Mardi Gras elongated cents from 1967, 1968, 1969. 5 different for \$3.00. Postpaid.

Please send 65¢ Large SASE for my current List #6 of Elongated Cents for sale.

Lord's Prayer--Oldies on dated Lincolns from 1920's & 1930's. 5 different dates for \$3.00. Postpaid.

Knute Rockne, Ty Cobb, Jack Dempsey, John L. Sullivan, Joe Louis, Kareem Abdul Jabbar. All 6 for \$3.00. Postpaid.

All 5 Deals above for \$16.00. Postpaid.

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Antique Cars: 1911 Rolls Royce; 1902 Renault; 1923 Dusenbergs; 1915 Ford; 1913 Reo, and, a 1913 Cadillac. All 6 for \$3.00. Postpaid. Ed Filipkowski P.O.Box 12582, Lake Park, FL 33403. (6)

Classic Cars: 1962 Corvette; 1957 Chevy Bel-Air; 1955 Ford Thunderbird; 1948 Ford; 1932 Chevrolet; and, a 1933 Plymouth. All 6 for \$3.00 Postpaid. Ed Filipkowski, P.O.Box 12582, Lake Park, FL 33403. (7)

Antique Railroad Engines: Narrow Gauge Locomotive; 1880 Engine; Locomotive Steam Engine (Geo. Washington); "Uncle Dick" (RR Engine); Early Freight Train; Coke Burning Engine. All 6 for \$3.00. Postpaid. Ed Filipkowski, P.O.Box 12582, Lake Park, FL 33403. (8)

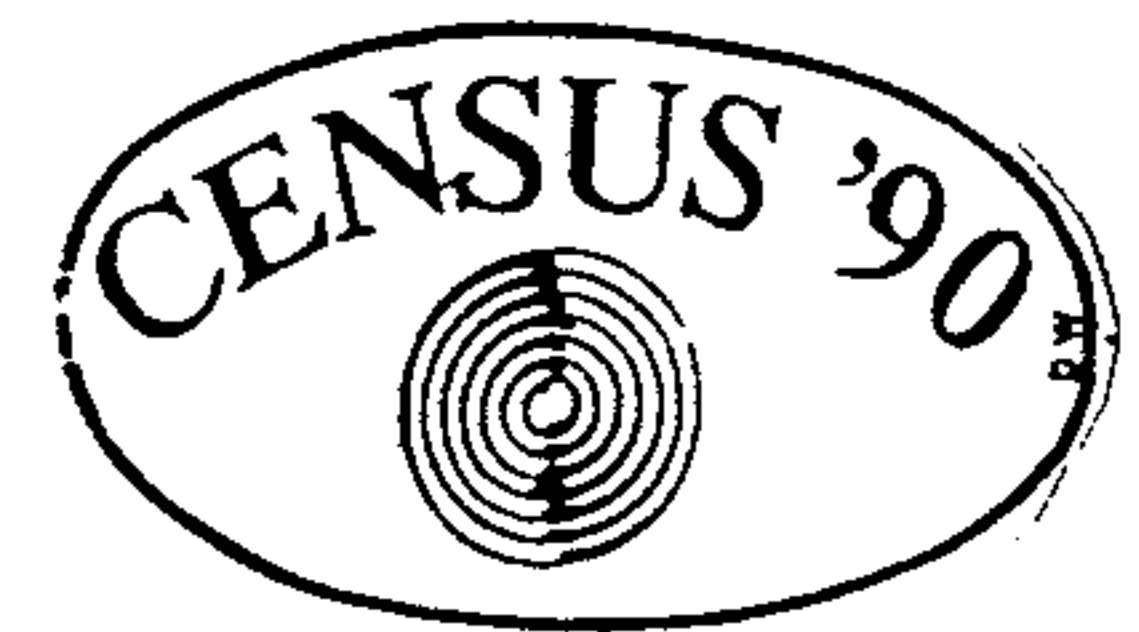
Space: Launch Pad; Challenger 7; Apollo 12; Apollo 14; U.F.O.; Space Piggyback. All 6 for \$3.00. Postpaid. Ed Filipkowski, P.O.Box 12582, Lake Park, FL 33403. (9)

Airplanes: P-51; German Graf Zeppelin; C-130; Bell Helicopter; Sikorsky Helicopter; U.S. Navy Dirigible (1920's). All 6 for \$3.00. Postpaid. Ed Filipkowski, P.O.Box 12582, Lake Park, FL 33403. (10)

Noah should have swatted the two Roaches; Thank you for the fine service; Bald is Beautiful; Today's Elongateds (Lee Martin); If no one claims me in 30 days, I'm Yours; I feel great, am Happy, Rich & Have no Complaints, Now if I can just stop Lying. All 6 for \$3.00. Postpaid. Ed Filipkowski P.O.Box 12582, Lake Park, FL 33403. (11)

All 6 Offers, Numbers 6 through 11--Only \$16.00. Postpaid. Ed Filipkowski P.O.Box 12582, Lake Park, FL 33403.

CENSUS '90



I am working as crew leader of a CENSUS '90 Non-Response Follow-Up Enumerator Team. I am one of a group of several thousand people who are knocking on the doors of all the households that did NOT return their 1990 Census form. It's hot, tiring, grind it out work, but necessary if we are to accurately establish the population count of the United States and the where and how our people live.

A CENSUS '90 enumerator was given 3 days of training, provided a list of the non-responding housing units in a 4 or 5 block area and directed to canvas from address to address trying to find someone at home who can and will, provide the CENSUS '90 information.

I expect to be on this non-response follow up project about 5 weeks and my team of 11 enumerators should accomplish well over 2000 completed questionnaires.

The logo of the 1990 CENSUS has been placed on a 1990 US cent as a memento of the 21st Decennial Census undertaking. I am enjoying showing and presenting these coins to friends, as are my teammate enumerators.

If you like this memento of CENSUS '90, I'll send you 2 of them plus a lucky penny for \$1.00 and a 25 cent SASE. My name and address is: Don A. Wilkinson, 5700 Flagler Street, Metairie, LA 70003.

ROS-305

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12-73

MERRY CHRISTMAS 1973 - D

Design: Ornate console and candle, at right center. Upper left; MERRY / CHRISTMAS. Right, vertical; 1973. - Same die as ROS-301, except die re-engraved with 3 holly berries dementionally raised. - 4th progressive single die variety. - Issue #178a. Beaded, dot border.



CENT	NICKEL	DIME	QUARTER	HALF
250	---	---	---	---

CLOSED * App. A-1145, 1190, 1250

A. A. Rosato

ROS-315

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10-74

CHRISTMAS 1974 - DOVES-E

Design: Three hovering 'Peace Doves' with a large star above, at vertical center. - Lower edge; CHRISTMAS 1974. Initials AR, at left of word "Christmas." - Last of a progressive single die variety. - Issue #181. Beaded border.



CENT	NICKEL	DIME	QUARTER	HALF
300	---	---	---	---

CLOSED * App. A-1145, 1252, 1253

A. A. Rosato

ROS-336

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10-74

TIS THE SEASON

Design: A decorative group of candles, at left center. - Legend; TIS THE / SEASON. Initials AR, at far left. - 3rd progressive single die variety. See ROS-337. Dot-dash border.



CENT	NICKEL	DIME	QUARTER	HALF
300	---	---	---	---

CLOSED * App. A-1145, 1252, 1254; B-127, 128

A. A. Rosato

ROS-339

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10-74

NOEL - A

Design: Madonna and Christ Child, at lower center. - Above, at left; NOEL. - First of a progressive single die variety. See ROS-340. Dotted Border.



CENT	NICKEL	DIME	QUARTER	HALF
11	3	6	---	---

CLOSED * App. A-1145, 1252; B-127

A. A. Rosato



JUNIOR MEMBER CORNER

DESIGNING YOUR COIN Pick your subject and obtain a simple drawing of it, similar to those in a child's coloring book. Select position upright or horizontal within a plain single line border. (Fig A). It's best to work on an 8x10 page, using point 36 lettering or larger. This cat was xeroxed off a piece of crepe paper decoration. Position your words with the figure. (Fig B). The words came from a newspaper ad last October! You cut and paste the letters. Some copy correction fluid was used to add whiskers and facial features. Finally decide on a border (Fig C). You can use one of the typical borders or make your own! Present your concept to the die maker who will complete the art work to your approval, then he etches and deep engraves the design on the steel die rolls. You will then be ready to roll out your very own coin or have it rolled for you. (Fig D).



This is a simple method for beginners. Good rules are to keep the subject as simple and uncluttered as possible. Small details get lost and detract from the main subject. You don't have to be an artist as most of your subjects can be found in coloring or comic books, newspapers and magazines. The Xerox machine helps you size it up or down for examples. Hand letter your words - the die maker will do the print lettering when finalizing the art work. Plus it's as much fun as playing Nintendo! Try it.

COMING UP

ALASKA WILDLIFE SERIES Bert Samsas special animal series.

Don't forget, if you have any questions, send them to me. Ginnie Wilkinson, 5700 Flagler St., Metairie, LA 70003.

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WITCHING YOU A HAPPY HALLOWEEN. Five different Halloween elongated cents, including Flying Witch, Cat, Bats, Ghost and Jack-O-Lantern. All 5 only \$2.00 and SASE, or 9 different Halloween coins for \$4.00 and 45 cent SASE! A unique presentation card included. A great gift! Don A. Wilkinson, 5700 Flagler Street, Metairie, LA 70003.

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HELP PROMOTE ELONGATEDS: I've been trying to put together an article on elongateds issued for the 1989 ANA Convention in Pittsburgh, but still need a description or rubbing of a badge issued by Sally Kirka. Prove to me that there are some hobby-conscious collectors out there helping me obtain such a description. Rich Bottles, Jr, P.O. Box 492, Harmony, PA 16037

HILLSIDE COIN CLUB
100th MEETING COMMEMORATIVE ELONGATED

By Harry Flower

The Hillside (Illinois) Coin Club will commemorate its 100th Meeting with a special elongated coin. This elongated will be issued on August 6, 1990, the date of the 100th meeting.

DESCRIPTION: Featured in the center of the coin is the club's logo, a large "H", with a "C" in each space of this letter, all three enclosed within a circle. At the top of this vertical elongated in 3 lines of lettering is "HILLSIDE / COIN CLUB / 100th MEETING". Below the logo in 4 lines is "AUGUST 6, 1990 / HILLSIDE / ILLINOIS / 60162". The entire design is enclosed by a solid elliptical border, broken at the top by the letters "F.B", the initials of the engraver.



STATISTICS:

Designer: Harry Flower using logo by Ed Turner.
Engraver: Frank Brazzell, Terre Haute, IN 47803.
Roller: Frank Brazzell, Terre Haute, IN 47803.
Date Rolled: April 14, 1990.
Date Issued: August 6, 1990.
Mintage: 50 on 1982D and 1982P Dimes
100 on 1982 and 1982D Cents (Copper).

DISTRIBUTION: At the 100th Meeting of the Hillside Coin Club (August 6, 1990), each member will be presented with an elongated rolled on a dime. The elongated cents will be sold at 50¢ each (special 2 for \$1.00). The cent elongateds are available to collectors and other interested persons at 2 for \$1.00 plus a stamped addressed envelope (SASE). Please order from Coin Chairman Bill Shepard, 196 N. York Road, Elmhurst, IL 60126 (708 833-1304). These will only be available until the supply is exhausted.

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TREASURER'S REPORT

PERIOD: Feb. 28, 1990 thru June 1, 1990

OPENING BALANCE: (Feb. 28, 1990) \$6,086.30

RECEIPTS: (Dues, Coin & Badge Sales, Tape Rentals, 2x2 sales, Donations & Interest.) \$1,428.57

EXPENDITURES: (Newsletters, Supplies, Postage 2x2 purchase, Donation) \$3,516.59

CURRENT BALANCE: (June 1, 1990) \$3,998.28

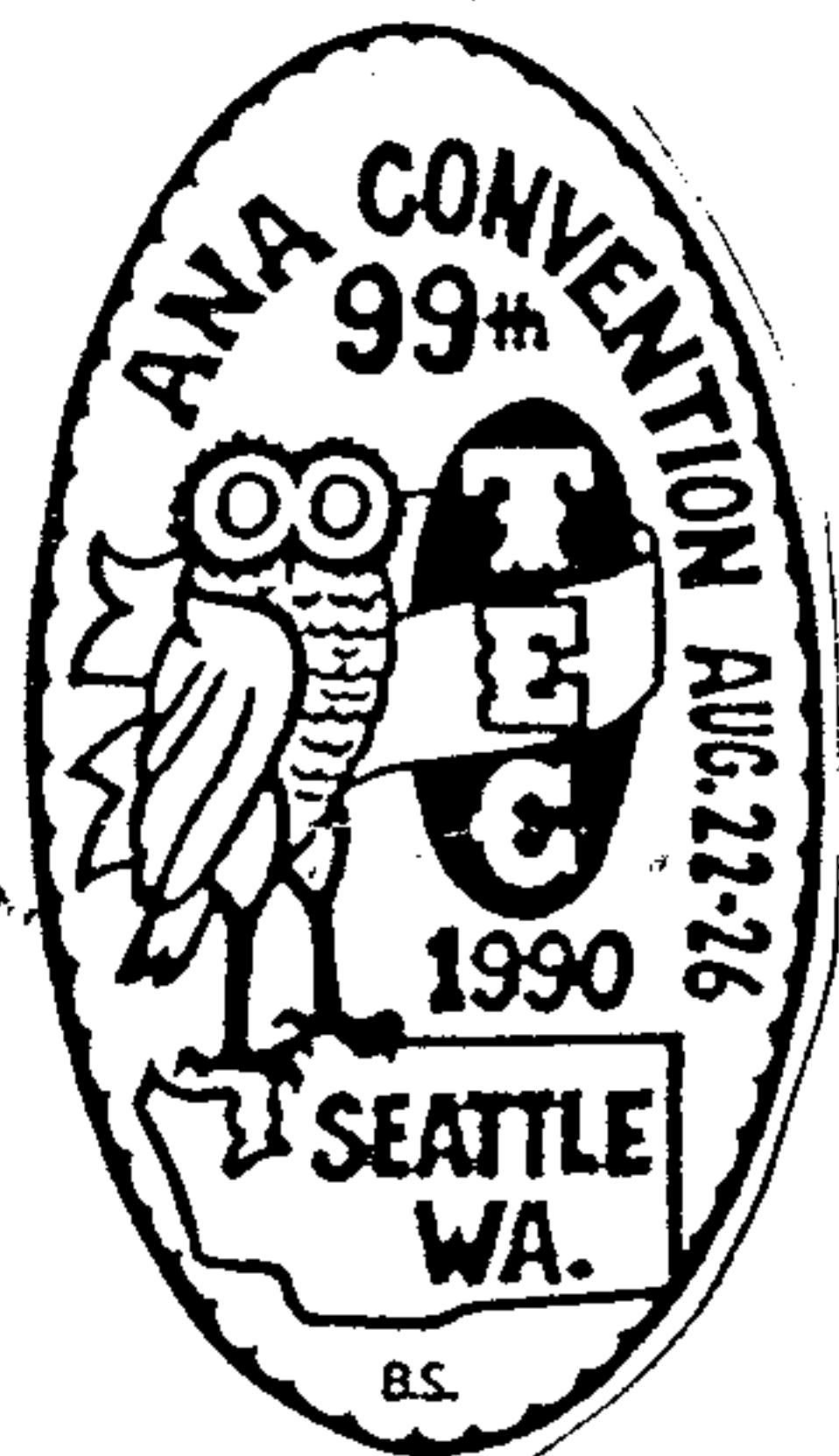
NOTE: Expenditures included partial Newsletter advance for supplies and costs of next issue.

Don A. Wilkinson
TEC #1097 TREAS.

SUPPLEMENT: LATE INFORMATION ON TEC COIN DESIGNS!!!



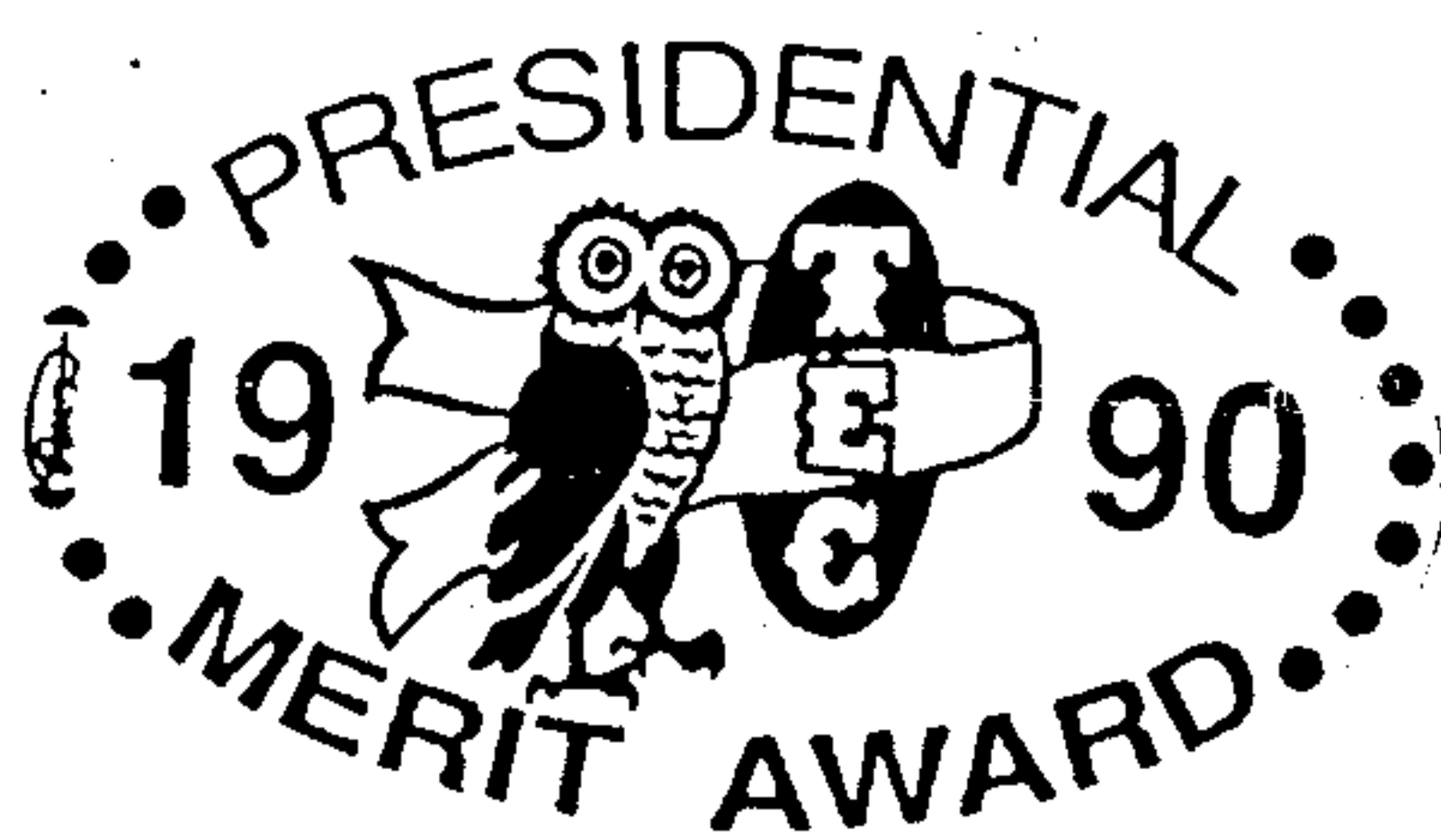
THE OFFICIAL ANA CONVENTION DESIGN. IT WILL BE ROLLED ON PENNIES, NICKELS, DIMITES, QUARTERS, AND HALF DOLLARS. PLUS CUSTOMERS' POCKET CHANGE AT THE CONVENTION.



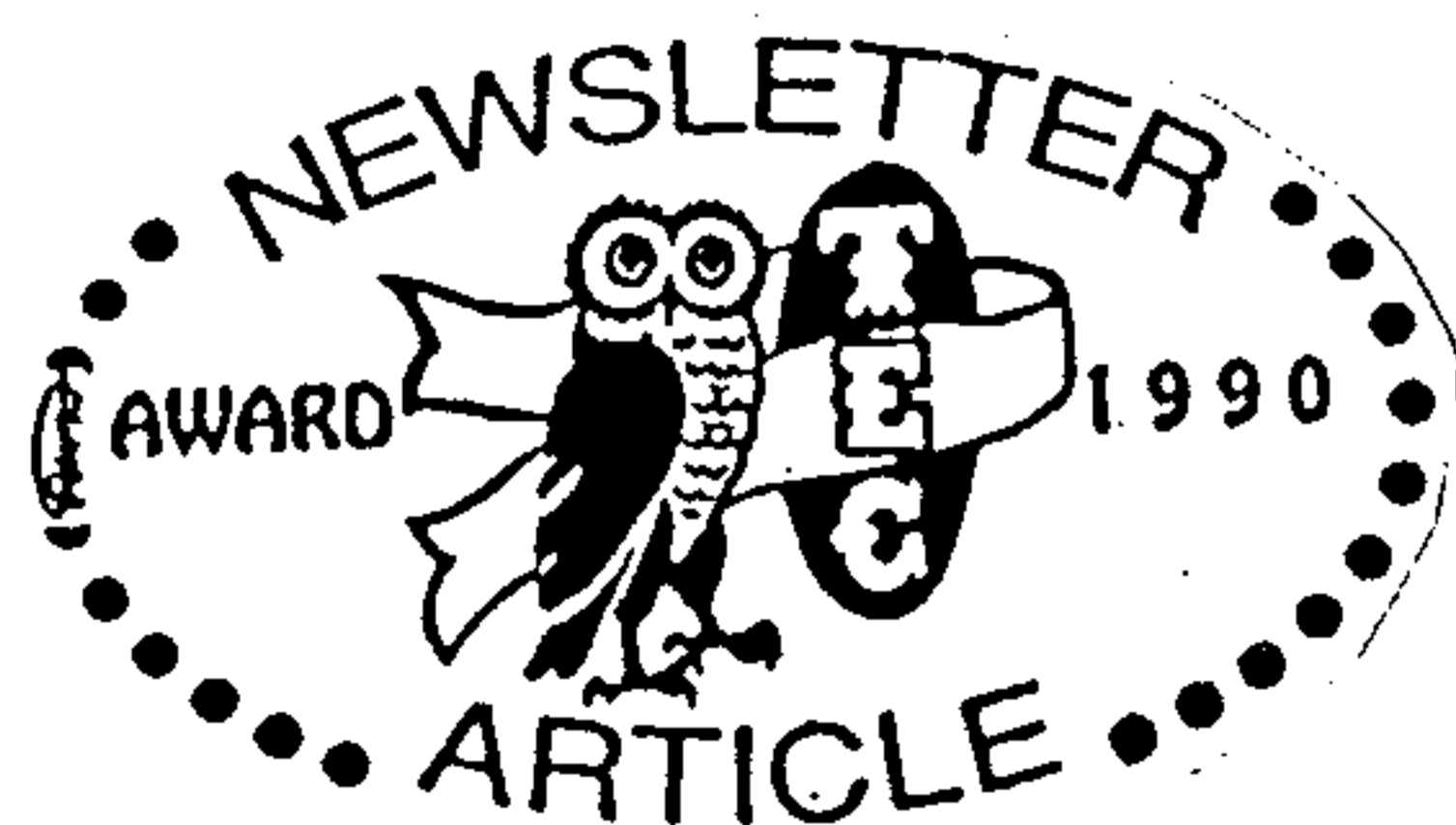
THIS DESIGN WILL BE USED FOR THE 1990 TEC BADGES FOR THE ANA CONVENTION. THE SPECIAL ISSUE BADGES WILL BE ROLLED ON SILVER QUARTERS AND ENAMELED. THE DIE WILL THEN BE DEEP ENGRAVED AND ROLLED ON 1990 CLAD QUARTERS FOR THE REGULAR ISSUE BADGES.



THE TEC CONVENTION FREE HAND-OUT COIN WILL BE ROLLED ON PENNIES FROM A SMALLER VERSION OF THE TEC BADGE DESIGN.



THE PRESIDENTIAL MERIT AWARD COIN WILL BE ROLLED ON SILVER QUARTERS WITH THE RECIPIENTS' NAME ENGRAVED ON THE REVERSE.



THE NEWSLETTER ARTICLE AWARD COIN WILL BE ROLLED ON NICKELS AND PRESENTED TO ELIGIBLE MEMBERS AFTER THE END OF 1990.



THE 1991 MEMBERSHIP COIN WILL BE ROLLED ON PENNIES AND PRESENTED TO EACH MEMBER WITH THEIR 1991 DUES CARD.